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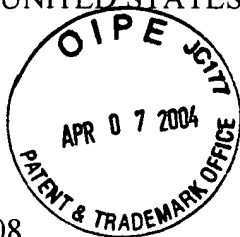
In re application of:

MOCHIZUKI *et al.*

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Sir:

It is hereby requested that the period for responding to the outstanding Office Action be extended 3 months from January 7, 2004 to April 7, 2004 by the filing of this Petition and fee payment.

Authorization to charge the official fees for this filing is given in the accompanying transmittal letter.

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Respectfully submitted,

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